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Minutes of the 139th meeting, 10:00 a.m., 14 May 1945

PRESENT

SECRETARY

ALSO PRESENT

Col. Bicknell, Chairman
Captain Maccomb, ONI
Major Battles, A-2
Capt. McCaskill, OCE
[REDACTED] OSS

Capt. P. P. Sobo

Lt. Comdr. Clinton
Lt. Quam
Lt. VanRees
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The minutes of the 138th meeting were read by the Chairman and approved as amended.

1. GENERAL

The Chairman reported that in some cases the number of copies of unedited manuscript to be submitted by contributors should be changed. Where necessary, the JISPB will authorize less than 55 copies when photostat and/or negatives are furnished. In this connection, Major Battles was authorized to submit his material in eleven copies plus negative photostats.

The supplements to JANIS 81, 84, and 85 will be printed in the same number of copies as the basic study. Where practicable in the future, revised editions of the basic study should be published in lieu of supplements. In connection with the possible reprinting of JANIS 81, 84, and 85 because of the need for additional copies, the Secretary has been directed to prepare a memorandum requesting contributors to submit a list of graphic material on hand and missing.

STUDIES) Captain McCaskill reported that approximately 23 inserts for Chapter II, (ROCK JANIS 75, were ready.

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[REDACTED] reported that JANIS 79 is due on 1 July 1945. The base map should be ready for distribution on 20 May 1945. Also, that a meeting of the working team on J.T.S. 47/M "Quickie" is scheduled for tomorrow. Thirty (30) copies will be made unless changed in J.T.S. meeting this afternoon.

The Chairman desired that all sections and personnel interested in Chapter IV meet and discuss the recent difficulties encountered in processing that Chapter at the printer in order that similar problems do not again arise. It was brought out that such a "jam" disrupts an orderly procedure and causes delays, and waste of time, effort and facilities.

2. PRODUCTION

Lt. VanRees reported that Chapters 1, 6, 12, JANIS-75, and Chapters 3, 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, JANIS-150 were worked at the printer. He believes that the trip saved a minimum of two weeks time in producing these chapters. Advance copies will start coming in this week and the bulk should be delivered on or before 20 May 1945.

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The Chairman suggested to [REDACTED] submit a report to [REDACTED] covering the activities of the team and the need at times of special effort to complete JANIS.

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3. EDITORIAL

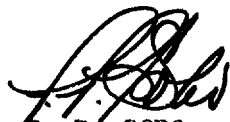
Comdr. Clinton reported that editors are now engaged in expediting supplements. However, Chapter 15, JANIS-75, is complete except for the gazetteer which has been promised by BGN for today; it will be sent to the printer when received.

Comdr. Clinton reported that he is drawing up a list of estimated supplement material. The list is ready except for Chapter II which should be received today. The complete list will be given to Mr. McCabe tomorrow for planning purposes.

4. PLANNING

Lt. Quam reported that blue-line base maps have not as yet been received.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.


P. P. SOBO
Captain, A.G.D.
Secretary